MR. McCOLLOUGH CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Sunday, May 13th, was enjoyed by a large number of relatives and friends of Uncle Mack McCollough who gathered at his home on Smith Avenue to celebrate his 73rd birthday. His birthday was Saturday, May 12th.

The home was beautifully decorated with various kinds of flowers, and at the noon hour they had a most bountiful spread which was enjoyed by everyone present. In the forenoon the older people gathered in the house and engaged in talking of things that had happened in their past lives, while the young folk were preparing the dinner. In the afternoon Mr. McCollough entertained one group in pleasant conversation and Mrs. McCollough entertained another group.

Among those present were Uncle Sing McCollough and his wife; Mr. and Mrs. Ara McCollough and children; Mrs. Janie Nolin and children; Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Willis and children; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Clark; Miss Ruth Nolin, Sam Bass and Leroy Maddox.

We want to express our appreciation for the privilege of being present and to say that I enjoyed the day and think everyone enjoyed it. We hope to live to have many more occasions like it.

—Written by a Friend.

CURTIS SINGING

The Curtis singing society met Sunday afternoon, May 6, for their regular singing.

The following leaders conducted the program in the afternoon: Owen Taylor, Elmira Young, Omie Lee Hawthorn, Rudolph Taylor, Gorgye Smith, Richard Chandler, J. R. Henderson, Jasper Parker, J. C. Donaldson, Rowden Bullard.

Rowden Bullard and wife entertained were the Donaldson family and one composed of Misses Mary Emma and Dot Williford, Rowden Bullard and Grafton Young. Pianist for the afternoon was Miss Tubbie Donaldson. Invocation by Rowden Bullard and benediction by M. F. Parker. Come and be with us every first Sunday afternoon.

GRAFTON YOUNG, Chmn.

Miss Elizabeth Rowe, who has been engaged in county rel.f work in Bullock County, spent several days last week in Elba with her mothers' family. She has recently been transferred to DeKalb County.

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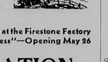

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WOCO-PEP STATION

ELBA, ALABAMA

ELBA HI SENIORS HONORED WITH PARTY MONDAY—

Miss Gladys Clark and Mrs. J. G. Clark were joint hostesses to the Senior class and Senior faculty of Elba High School Monday evening, honoring them with a delightful party, given at the home of Mrs. J. G. Clark, mother of the honoree, Miss Nelle Gardner Clark.

On this delightful occasion the living room and dining room were artistically decorated with the class colors, red and white crepe paper, with quantities of red roses. Miss Clark received the guests and when all had assembled, she asked that they go to the Elba Theatre, where she entertained with a theatre party.

After the show, the crowd again gathered at the home of Mrs. Clark where she received the guests. Miss Sara Morgan and Rose Lee served punch from a beautifully decorated table in the hall. Miss Adelle Dixon presided at the guest book, where each registered and wrote greetings to be long remembered. Games were then substituted into the living room and during recess, where they enjoyed music, games and contests.

At a late hour, Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Clark served delicious ice cream and cake. The color scheme of red and white was again carried out.

The sixteen Seniors, Miss Mabel Brunson, Mrs. Roberta Childs, Mr. J. W. Kendrick, Sara Lee, Adelle Dixon and Mrs. Jas. C. Dixon, Misses Louise Morgan, Sara Lee, Adelle Dixon and Mr. Kirk Allred enjoyed this happy occasion.

TOTSYE RHODES HOSTESS TO HIGH SCHOOL MUSIC CLUB—

The High School Music Club was entertained by Totsye Rhodes at her home in West Elba on last Friday afternoon.

After a short business meeting, with Emma Margaret Cooper presiding, the following program was enjoyed:

Piano duet—Mabion Owen and Margarette Franklin.

Piano duet—Fleetwood Carnley and Annie Laurie Bullard.

Story of Wagner's Opera, "Lohengrin"—Annie Laurie Bullard.

Piano duet—Carolyn Mays and Mary Ruth Fleming.

During the social hour a delicious salad plate with iced tea was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Rhodes.

Mary Ruth Fleming, Reporter.

ANNUAL BIRTHDAY SINGING OF MRS. M. M. JACOBS

The annual birthday singing of Mrs. M. M. Jacobs was held on the second Sunday in April, 1934. House called to order by W. F. Sanders singing three songs, prayer by Mrs. Ethel Jacobs. After which the class went into organization for the day. W. F. Sanders was elected chairman; H. W. Dean vice-chairman; Mrs. Ethel Jacobs, secretary; J. J. Deal and Jim Wooten, arranging committee. John H. Shaw led the introductory lesson. Committee reported a lesson by three, three songs each: W. M. Mathews, Joe J. Deal, Roy Jackson. Recess ten minutes.

House called to order by chairman singing one song. Committee reported lesson by 4, 2 songs each: A. W. Mathews, Joe Sanders, H. W. Dean, Jim Jackson. The class was then dismissed by Mrs. Ethel Jacobs, for one hour and a half dinner. All really enjoyed the bountiful spread which the good ladies had prepared and when we placed on a long table in the yard. It was a glad time for every one present and I believe they enjoyed eating this birthday dinner with Mrs. Jacobs, and meeting so many friends and once more mingling our voices together with gladness for the wonderful blessings which God has given us. Altogether mercy has bestowed on us. Why! Surely we thank God.

At 1:30 o'clock the house was called to order by the chairman singing three songs. Committee reported lesson by three, 3 songs each: Dewey Wilks, Ernest Lunsford, Wilson Jackson. Recess ten minutes. Called to order by chairman singing one song. Lesson by three, 3 songs each: Rev. Jno. Rainey, E. H. Lunsford, Winfield Mathews, Joe Sanders and R. E. Jackson. Recess ten minutes. Class was dismissed by Mrs. Ethel Jacobs with prayer on third Sunday in April, 1935. Should Jesus tarry and the Lord will, we will meet again the following year on the 3rd Sacred Harp song book. We especially invite all singers to be present on that day.

Our hearts were made sad when we looked around and missed some of our loved ones who has gone, passed over the river of death and gone on to be with the Lord. We all feel very thankful to God to have Mrs. Jacobs with us for another birthday, because we realize that the Lord has really blessed us and let her stay here on earth with us. Our hearts and our hearts were made to overflow with joy as we saw her walking around with glad smiles of welcome on her face and tears of joy streaming down her cheeks as she greeted her children, grand children, great-grand children, neighbors and friends. It was a glad day for, us all and we hope it can be God's will that we can enjoy many more birthdays with her, and we pray that the Lord will continue to bless her with health in her old age, and make her last days her happiest days.

All of her children were present except Mrs. Lise Bryan of McCollough. Those present were: Jim Wooten, Elba Rt. 2; Frank Wooten, Attorney Mosier Nev and Lizzie Jacobs, Elba Rt. 1; Mrs. Ida Jackson, Elba Rt. 1; Wiley C. Jacobs and Roscoe Jacobs, Opp Rt. 1; her step-sons present were: B. J. Jacobs, Opp; John Jacobs, Elba Route 1.

We all really thank the entire community for their hospitality shown us and for their cooperative spirit.

Remember we appreciate every act of kindness. May God bless every one and draw us all closer to Jesus, is my prayer.

Mrs. Ethel Jacobs, Secy.

MOTHERS' DAY SURPRISE

The children, grand children and great-grand children of Mrs. Melissie Grimes, age 73, gathered at her home on Mothers' Day. The family began to arrive at 9:30, bringing dinner with them, since it was to be a surprise to Mrs. Grimes. At noon a bounteous dinner was served under the great oaks in the yard.

Mrs. Grimes has thirteen children living and one dead. All thirteen were present, namely: Mr. John Grimes, Mrs. Lillian Redman, Mrs. J. A. Wilson, Mr. J. F. Grimes, Mrs. G. P. Smith, Mr. S. D. Grimes, Mr. E. A. Grimes, Mrs. Ed Blankenship, Mrs. C. M. Meacham, Mr. H. S. Grimes, Mr. C. E. Grimes, Mr. M. S. Grimes and Miss Effie Grimes. She also has forty-six grand children and six great-grandchildren. Nearly all of these were present.

Mrs. Grimes should be commended for the splendid way she has reared her family, as her husband, Mr. J. S. Grimes, died thirty years ago, leaving her to fight the battle alone.

The day was greatly enjoyed by all, especially Mrs. Grimes.

Written by her Granddaughter.

JUNIOR G. A. MET WITH GLADYS WHITMAN—

The Junior G. A. met at the home of Gladys Whitman Thursday afternoon, May 10th. Those present were:

Gladys Whitman, Elizabeth Fleming, Dorothy Murphree, Mary G. Boutwell, Carolyn Russ and the leader, Miss Sara Mathis.

The program consisted of a play, "Following The Gleam." The cast included:

Martha—Gladys Whitman.
Marjorie—Elizabeth Fleming.
Esther—Carolyn Russ.
Carolyn—Dorothy Murphree.
Josephine—Mary G. Boutwell.
Mrs. Waters—Sara Mathis.

The G. A. will meet with Miss Sara Mathis Thursday afternoon.

Carolyn Russ, Reporter.

Rent Notes at The Clipper Office.

JUNIOR SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS HAS SOCIAL—

The Junior Sunday School class of the Baptist Church held a party on Wednesday afternoon of last week at 3 o'clock at the home of Carolyn Ross.

Bible Reading—Elizabeth Fleming.

Prayer—Mary Jane Rainey.

A number of interesting questions were discussed with the teacher, Mrs. Blackmon, leading.

Reading, "The French Doll"—Mary Jane Rainey.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her sister, Misses Miriam and Sibyl Ross.

Elizabeth Fleming, Reporter.

SOROSIS CLUB ENTERTAINED BY HOME ECONOMICS DEPT.—

On Wednesday, May 2nd, the Home Economics girls and teacher of New Brockton High School entertained as their guests the Sorosis Club. The Home Economics Department was beautifully decorated with roses and pansies. The following program was rendered:

Welcome Address—Vivienne de Vaughan.

"Spring In Dress"— Ruby Flowers.

"Reading"—Gladys Fuller.

At the conclusion an interesting contest on clothing was enjoyed by all.

A delightful course of sherbet and cake was served to about twenty-five members.—Reporter.

HOME ECONOMICS GIRLS ENJOY PICNIC AND OUTING—

One of the happy occasions for the Home Economics Girls of New Brockton High School this year was the annual picnic given by the Home Economics teacher on last Wednesday afternoon, May ninth. We met after school and hiked to the Mrs. Milton O'Neal home where refreshing smell of the woods, as we played our games, increased our appetites so that our lunch of sandwiches, cakes, candy, drinks, etc., was thoroughly enjoyed.—Reporter.

WHITMAN-PINCKARD

Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Whitman of Elba announce the engagement of their daughter, Doris, to Gethal Pinckard, the marriage to take place an early date.

The above announcement has recently been made and is of interest to the couple's many friends and acquaintances. Both young people are prominent in the younger social set of Elba. Miss Whitman is one of Elba's sweetest girls, and is endowed with a charming personality.

Mr. Pinckard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Pinckard of our city.

Fred Folsom of Montgomery spent Sunday in Elba with his mother, Mrs. J. M. Folsom.

Miss Nan Marley of Luverne spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Marley.

Dan Brooks, Jr., left early Wednesday morning for Washington, D. C., where he has secured a position with the Home Owners Loan Department.

Mrs. Annie King and Miss Anita King of Andalusia, Miss Margaret Ham of Opp and Mrs. B. R. Cole of Montgomery visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ham during the past week-end.

FORD CAR FOR SALE

Model T Coupe, good glasses and in good condition all round; will be sold to highest bidder on Square Saturday, May 19, 1:00 o'clock.

H. H. McCORMICK.

FOR SALE—Potato Plants, for sale or trade. Per Thousand, $1.25.

H. H. McCORMICK,
m17-24-3t07 Elba, Rt. 1.

MEN WANTED for Rawleigh Routes in Northwest Covington, West Dale, Bathroom Counties, Elba. Write immediately, Rawleigh Co., Dept. AL-63-SB, Memphis, Tenn. m3-17-31.

NOTICE

State of Alabama, County of Coffee, Probate Court, Elba Division.

This day came Mrs. A. V. Patrick and filed in this Court her petition, together with a paper purporting to be the last will and testament of J. R. Patrick, deceased, late of said County and State, for probate and record in this Court; and it appearing from said petition that A. V. Patrick and other persons, who are heirs at law of said decedent, are non-residents, it is

Ordered by this Court that the 9th day of June, 1934, be set apart for the hearing of said petition, and that notice thereof be given for three successive weeks in Equity, Coffee County, Alabama, on the 25th day of April, 1934, in favor of the State of Alabama, Complainant, and Bureon Lewis, E. F. Cotton and Coley Rudd, Respondents, wherein certain personal property was condemned for sale, I will offer for sale to the highest and best bidder for cash at the Court house door in Elba, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on the 4th day of June, 1934, the following personal property which was the property of the said Respondents:

One Ford Coupe, motor number 11410416, 1925 model.

L. B. CLARK,
m17-24-31. Register.

MORTGAGE SALE

STATE OF ALABAMA,
COFFEE COUNTY.

WHEREAS, Edward S. Bryan and wife, Lula Bryan, executed to The Federal Land Bank of New Orleans, on to-wit: December 15th, 1924, a mortgage upon the land hereinafter described to secure an indebtedness described therein, said mortgage being recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book M-3, Page 251, and

WHEREAS, default has been made by grantors in payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage and in the performance of the terms of said mortgage; and

NOW, THEREFORE, The Federal Land Bank of New Orleans, having declared due and payable the entire indebtedness secured by said mortgage, will sell, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, between the legal hours of sale on the 25th day of May, 1934, at auction to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the court house door in Coffee County, in the town of Elba, Alabama, the following described property, to-wit:

The south half of northwest quarter, the northwest quarter of southwest quarter section 27, township 7, range 19.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of realizing the mortgage debt, together with all expenses of this sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee.

THE FEDERAL LAND BANK OF NEW ORLEANS,
By B. W. SMITH, Attorney for Mortgagee.
m3-10-17.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

The Board of Review of Coffee County has completed its work of review and the assessed valuation of all property for taxation has been fixed as by law provided. Notice is hereby given that the tax return lists showing thereon such assessed valuations are in my office and open for public inspection.

The Board of Review will sit at the Courthouse of Coffee County, at Elba, on the first Monday in June, 1934, to consider such protests as may be filed by any taxpayer as herein provided. Any taxpayer who is not satisfied with the valuation placed on property so fixed and entered on the return list as required herein, may file objections with the Board of Assessed valuations with the Secretary of said Board, on or before the last Monday in May, 1934, and the taxpayer shall set out in such objection filed, the description of property objected to, and the reason for making objections to the assessed valuation as placed thereon.

Done this, the 1st day of May, 1934. W. B. EDMONDS,
Tax Assessor, Coffee County.
m3-10-17.

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Steam Shovels And Drag Lines Will Be Employed In Completing Levee Work

Detailed plans for the completion of the Elba levee have not yet been announced so far as The Clipper has been able to ascertain at the time of going to press on Wednesday afternoon, but it is understood that efforts are being made to get the work started within the next ten days. A conference between Governor Graves and officials of the work and local relief officials was scheduled for late Wednesday afternoon or Thursday, at which time it was hoped that definite information would be given out.

According to a short news dispatch which appeared in Tuesday's Advertiser, it was learned from the State Relief Administration office that steam shovels and drag lines will be used on all levee projects in South Alabama. This would mean, of course, that the number of laborers would be greatly reduced, but it was thought that all labor on relief rolls would be called into service. It is also thought that a number of trucks will be in service hauling dirt where it is not possible to use drag lines.

According to information received here, Major Dwight V. Trevarthen, U. S. A., and Engineer C. C. Davis, who were in charge of operations here before, will have general supervision of the levee work when it is resumed. Following is the news story which appeared in Tuesday's Advertiser about the projects:

Completion of the Elba, Geneva and Florala flood control levees will be done upon a basis of the lowest possible cost and not upon a basis of the greatest number of jobs in compliance with instructions from Washington, Ray Crow, State engineer of the Alabama Relief Administration, announced Monday.

Accordingly, Mr. Crow said, bids are being asked for the use of both steam shovels and if the proper equipment can be obtained work on the levees will begin within the next week or 10 days.

At Elba, he said, either two drag lines and one steam shovel or one drag line and a steam shovel will be used.

At Geneva, one drag line probably will be used, and at Florala, a steam shovel and trucks, or teams will be used.

Mr. Crow said he hoped to start the three projects simultaneously, if possible, but that, in any event, the work would be resumed at the earliest possible date.

The projects probably will call for all available relief labor, Mr. Crow said, although the former procedure of excavating by hand has been scrapped for the more economical and efficient method of the steam shovel and drag lines.

It has been estimated that $600,000 will be required to complete the three projects.

Elba And Enterprise Civic Clubs Hold Cotton Meeting

The Elba Chamber of Commerce and the Enterprise Rotary Club held a joint meeting in Enterprise Tuesday to discuss the situation confronting cotton growers in Coffee County in regard to government apportionment.

Sub-committees were appointed to visit the fourteen points where cotton grown in Coffee County, but ginned in other counties, is ginned. The committee is to check up on cotton ginned at something like 25 gins outside Coffee County and also at all the gins within the county, and report back to a meeting to be held Saturday morning at nine o'clock in New Brockton.

Many of our cotton growers and others interested in the cotton industry are becoming aware of the seriousness of the situation confronting Coffee County. In view of the fact that something like half of the cotton raised in Coffee County is ginned outside the county, and the government allotment is based upon the amount ginned instead of the amount raised in any county, Coffee County is in danger of being heavily, unless something is done, and that immediately.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Passes Away At Brundidge Home

BRUNDIDGE, Ala., May 21.—Yancey L. Bryan, 88, died last night at his home here after a short illness. The funeral will be held from the home at 4:30 p.m. today, with Elder B. J. Wilson of Glenwood, Ala., officiating. Burial will be at the Brundidge Cemetery, with Rhodes, of Troy, in charge. The grandsons of Mr. Bryan will be active pallbearers.

Surviving are four sons, Dr. J. L. Bryan of Greenville, Ala.; J. H. Bryan of Lubbock, Texas; W. S. Bryan of Tifton, Ga., and Albert Bryan of Samson, Ala.; nine daughters, Mrs. Maude Reidock, Mrs. Lon Helms, Miss Lela Bryan, Miss Claude Bryan, all of Brundidge; Mrs. George Dinkins, Mrs. Jack Terrell and Mrs. Warsaw Carlisle, all of Montgomery; Mrs. W. F. Preston of Donalsonville, Ga., Mrs. Grady Tucker of Gainesville, Fla.; one brother, Lorenza Bryan, of Attalcicia; and one sister, Mrs. John Sanders, of Palmyra, Ala.

Mr. Bryan was an uncle of Messrs. R. V. and R. C. Bryan of Elba, and was known by many of the older citizens of Coffee County. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bryan and Miss Voncile Bryan attended the funeral services at Brundidge Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. A. J. Danley Passes After A Short Illness

Mr. A. J. Danley, age 67, prominent farmer of the county, died at his home on the Elba-Opp highway near County Line, last Monday afternoon after a two weeks illness of pneumonia.

Mr. Danley was one of Coffee's best known citizens and was held in high esteem by his acquaintances. His passing has brought a sad row to many hearts.

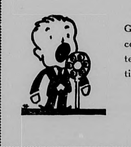
He is survived by his wife and three daughters: Mrs. John Wilkerson and Mrs. Arthur Owen of Elba, and Mrs. Ernest Johnson; three sons: Dallas, A. J., and John Danley. He also leaves two sisters and one brother.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, having been conducted by Rev. Jones of Andalusia. The body was laid to rest in the cemetery at Mount Zion Church, with Bethel Cemetery Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Dowling transacted business in Opp Monday forenoon.

Mr. Jerry Hilliard of Pensacola, Fla., spent the week-end in Elba guest of Miss Louise Morgan.

Dorsey Sez:



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Mr. Keller Will Address Graduating Class Friday

Hon. J. A. Keller, superintendent of the Covington County schools, will address the graduating class of the Elba High School on Friday evening of this week, when the final exercises of the school will be held.

Announcement was made last week that Supt. A. P. Harman would be the speaker on this occasion, but Prof. J. C. Dixon has been advised that it will be impossible for Mr. Harman to come to Elba Friday night.

Mr. Keller, it will be remembered, was nominated for the important office of State Superintendent of Education at the May 1st primary. He has been with the Covington County schools for a number of years, and is considered one of the outstanding educators of the State. His address Friday evening should be of especial interest, and patrons and friends of the school are cordially invited.

Community Sing Sunday Evening Was Fine Success

The community sing held on the Elba Theatre lawn Sunday evening, commencing at six o'clock, was well attended and much interest was manifested in the singing which was conducted by Mrs. Lillian Ringsdorf, a singer and director of unusual ability, assisted by Mrs. M. M. Ringsdorf and Miss Annie Laurie Bullard, at the piano, were accompanists.

The chorus singing was enthusiastically participated in by a large number and everyone present seemed to enjoy it immensely.

Mrs. Lillian Ringsdorf, who has a national reputation as a vocalist and reader, sang "The End Of A Perfect Day" in a manner that captivated her audience. Another pleasing feature of the program was a vocal solo by Mrs. Ringsdorf, quartet, composed of Messrs. Joff, Bozier and C. C. Bryan and J. W. English. The latter substituted for Baxter Bryan, who was unable to be present.

The sing made such a hit that it was suggested that it be held every week, and it was decided to postpone it until later.

WHITMAN-PINCKARD-STEPHENS-WHITMAN—

On Tuesday evening, May 22, while the garden party given by the members of the W. H. A. T. Club was in progress, suspicion was aroused when additional guests began to arrive, and when Rev. J. A. Jones, Baptist minister, arrived, the secret was divulged.

Before an improvised altar with the natural beauty of the garden and other decorations forming a lovely background, the double marriage ceremony of Miss Doris Whitman to Mr. Gethenal Pinckard and Miss Hilda Stephens to Mr. Walter Whitman, Jr., was solemnized at nine o'clock, the vows being received by Rev. Jones in the presence of the immediate family and a few close friends.

Miss Whitman was attired in a navy blue traveling dress with white accessories. She is a graduate of Elba High School and attended S. T. C. at Troy and A. P. I. at Auburn. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Whitman and has spent her entire life in the community. For the past two years she has taught in the county schools. The bride has a lovable disposition and is popular with a wide circle of friends, both young and old. Mr. Pinckard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Pinckard. He attended the Elba schools and is very popular here, and at present is connected with his father in business.

Miss Stephens wore a smart midnight blue frock with matching accessories. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stephens, formerly of Elba, but now of Geneva. The bride is a graduate of Elba High School and attended Alabama College in Montevallo and S. T. C. at Troy. She is a petite blonde and has a host of friends who will be glad that she will again make Elba her home. Mr. Whitman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Whitman, prominent citizens of our city. He attended A. P. I. at Auburn and is at present a student of Howard College.

After a short wedding trip to Pensacola and Mobile, the happy couples will be at home to their friends in Elba.

MARLEY-WILLIAMS

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Marley of Elba announce the engagement of their daughter, Nan Elizabeth, to Bertie F. Williams of Luverne, the marriage to take place in July.

Of wide spread interest because of the prominence of the couple is the announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Marley to Mr. Williams. The bride-elect is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Marley of our city.

Mr. Williams is a prominent young business man of Luverne, our neighboring city.

For neat work, call on The Elba Clipper's Job Department.

About People and Things

By C. B. McDowell

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Rev. Paul B. Dansby Delivers Sermon To Graduating Class

A congregation that completely filled the auditorium and adjoining Sunday School rooms at the Elba Methodist Church heard an eloquent sermon Sunday, preached to the senior class of Elba High School by Rev. Paul B. Dansby, pastor of the Crestview, Fla., Methodist Church. Rev. B. G. Smith had been selected to deliver the baccalaureate sermon, but on account of ill health he called on Rev. Dansby as his substitute.

Prof. Jas. C. Dixon presided and introduced Rev. Dansby with a few well-chosen remarks. Miss Annie Laurie Bullard presided at the piano, but Mr. Almon Strain was prevented by illness from accompanying her with the trombone.

The school glee club occupied the choir loft and rendered several appropriate selections, which were enjoyed and stood at attention when the fifteen members of the graduating class marched in, headed by Miss Margaret Cooper, president of the Junior Class, marched in to martial music played by Miss Annie

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CASH IN ADVANCE

"The meek shall inherit the earth," minus the inheritance tax.

Blessed is the telephone girl who never expect the subscribers to be polite.

Greek learned in college helps the alumnus to remember the name of his fraternity.

Some do their most convincing lying when they are trying to get us to testify to the truth.

We suspect that the plan to own more silver dollars is backed by the suspender trust.

The drought appears to be outdoing the AAA in the matter of reducing the wheat surplus.

American Thinking reservoirs can be brought about by propounding and answering questionnaires.

Florists and pest-card manufacturers are enthusiastic over the widespread observance of Mother's Day.

Automobile accidents show no slight decrease, which may be due to the improved agility of pedestrians.

Perhaps, after all, the most fortunate people are those who can't obtain credit enough to enable them to live beyond their means.

We read that "when a Japanese young woman marries without having acquired a husband it is considered a tragedy." The same as in America.

A Mr. Donovan of Boston declared he would quit work when he had made a million, and kept his word. We are not the tempted to make a similar vow.

CAMPAIGN EXPENSES

One of the perplexing political problems of the day is that of campaign expenditures. No man should a candidate for office be permitted to spend in behalf of his candidacy.

Some of the amounts expended by recent candidates for office are seem unreasonably large, and in some cases investigations of campaign funds have resulted in the barring of successful candidates. If such investigations are to be continued and the public is less will be, it seems that there should be a law definitely fixing the maximum amount that may be spent, as is done in some states with respect to state offices.

Will an increase in the number of voters it takes a lot of money to reach every voter in the largest district and every piece of campaign literature. In New York state there are about five million voters. If a single piece of literature were sent to each of these, and the cost of such piece, including postage, printing and addressing, were only five cents, it would total a number of a million dollars to do the job. This sum would leave little margin for the expense of campaign aids, travel for the speechmaking, newspaper advertising or other expenditures incidental to a campaign for senator or governor.

In Illinois and Pennsylvania the number of voters is approximately one-third less than in New York, so it would take about $200,000 to reach each voter with one piece of campaign literature and leave a small amount for other expenses in the line of the party candidate.

These figures would only cover primary expenses, while in all probability the amount there would be additional outlays necessary in evident to the general election.

All of which illustrates how futile it is, generally speaking, for a poor man without much support to aspire to high office.

A WEDDING WRITE-UP

Most newspaper men shrink from the task of writing up a wedding and prefer to pass that responsible duty to the female society editor. Yet there are exceptions. Occasionally an editor is found who can paint a word picture of the marriage ceremony that any lady reporter might envy.

We discovered one like that who appears to be holding a great interests in an obscure Kansas town, while he sought to be holding down a big city job. We have a high regard for his literary ability, which proves our point.

"It was a wonderful wedding. The girl was as sweet as any girl who ever lived but had children, and she walked up the aisle on her father's arm, her lips lightly tilted in the manner which has made her one she was a picture of modest beauty.

"Her filmy wedding gown and veil floated about her like a cloud, and her bland head like a halo. She was as nearly an angel as girls get to be in this world. At the altar, as she passed from her father, the man she always loved, to the other man to whom she would devote the rest of her life, her voice trembled a little as it fell upon the ear, rolling on the floor and turned it over. Smiling again, she turned to the preacher and the ceremony at the chancel and said: 'That was a hell of a place to put a lily.'"

FACT VERSUS FANCY

Dabbling with spiritualism or other supposed occult ideas are dangerous to one's integrity of mind, according to Dr. William J. Mayo, eminent surgeon and medical scientist, who points out that many men of brilliant attainments have been misled by imaginary phenomena.

He mentions Sir Conan Doyle, Sir William Crookes and Sir Oliver Lodge as three outstanding examples of men of science who are interested themselves in psychic phenomena and who believe in the reincarnation of the dead. But he points out that these eminent men had no more right to let their mental powers were on the wane.

Dr. Mayo further points out that many things we experience today and understand as perfectly natural and normal would have been attributed to the supernatural if they had been produced in earlier times. For example, if someone had invented the radio during the Dark Ages he would have been accused of the most dire witchcraft.

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THE BOOK

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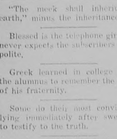
... and which contains Four Great Treasures ...

by BRUCE BARTON

BEGINNING THE END

THE beginning of the end of the Jewish nation, all of this took place around 1000 B. C., which is a useful date to remember in connection with David and Solomon.



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From the death of Solomon until 586 B. C., when Jerusalem was destroyed by the Babylonians, the history of the Jews is the history of the two little kingdoms in a sad tale of intrigue, sinfulness, bad management and a steady decline. Sometimes the two kingdoms fought and sometimes they were allies. Sometimes there was a prince of one kingdom was usually named after the reigning monarch of the other, and that the record in the Book of Kings is confusing, enough to the average reader. You get the gist of it in seven like lessons.

In the thirty and first year of Asa king of Judah (the smaller kingdom) began Omri to reign over Israel (the larger).

But Omri wrought evil in the eyes of the Lord and did worse than all that were before him . . .

Omri slept with his fathers, and was buried in Samaria: and Ahab his son reigned in his stead.

And Ahab the son of Omri did evil in the sight of the Lord above all that were before him.

Enoch king, you see, excelled his predecessors in only one thing, his competence. We have no time for the record is thickly dotted.

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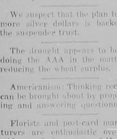
Next Week: Always a Righteous M



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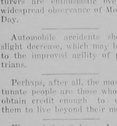

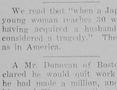

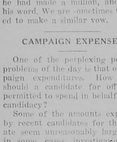

ion, destroyed in 484 B. C., more than 100 years before they were listed among the wonders.

The Temple of Diana at Ephesus, burned in 262 A. D.

The Statue of Zeus at Olympus, destroyed in 475 A. D.

The Colossus of Rhodes, sold for junk in 653.

The Lighthouse of Pharos at Alexandria, fell in an earthquake in 1375.

The Mausoleum of Artemisia, destroyed in 1402.

The Pyramid of Cheops, the only one of the "Seven Wonders" still in existence.

Such were the seven wonders of the world. Many more modern wonders have been made, but a recent writer selects not the probable works of man, but the discoveries and inventions which have revolutionized civilization.

He names the radio, the telephone, the airplane, antiseptics, spectrum analysis and radium. Whether his list is the best that might be made or not, the wonders mentioned will survive as long as humanity exists, bestowing untold benefits upon mankind.

CAN A ROOSTER COUNT?

Experiments in psychology are being carried on enthusiastically with many kinds of animals as subjects. A test reported from the University of Chicago is quite interesting.

Kernels of corn were placed in a row on the floor, with every third kernel tacked down, and a rooster was permitted to help himself. Failing to lift a fastened kernel, he would pass on and eat the next. The missing kernels were replaced and the next time he made no attempt to devour the stationary kernels. Then the third kernels were loosened, but he still passed them by until his foot struck one and moved it; when he went back and ate them all.

Some who witnessed the experiment believe that it proved the rooster's ability to count, while others were skeptical. Possibly he was an unusual bird, or had been influenced by his university environment.

We don't vouch for this story, but if you doubt it try the experiment on your own rooster.

Awhile back one of the big east-

We had a bowl full of gold fish but we never felt alone with Isadora Duncan relates that D'Annunzio, the poet, was living in a little room in Venice. Having to go away, he left his with the hotel keeper with instructions to care for it; but one day when a tourist came slowly, then passed away, and Adolphus, the fish, was thrown out of the window. A telegram came, "Feel Adolphus is not well," and when he got a wire, "Adolphus dead. Bury him at night." D'Annunzio replied: "Bury him in the garden. Arrange his grave." He was put in a garden box and it was dropped in silver paper and buried and on a cross was written: "Here lies Adolphus." When D'Annunzio stood above it he wept and put flowers upon it.

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In winter the flooding of the three rivers above Mobile causes the Bay to be generally fresh; but in the summer it is generally salty.

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The Black Belt of Alabama is a natural alfalfa soil equal to the noted alfalfa lands of Europe, recognized as the richest in the world. In Alabama yields vary from two to six tons per acre, averaging four. The lands do not require inoculation, there being a sufficient amount of bacteria for this purpose.

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Nature is a wise old worker. Many sea birds that nest in inaccessible cliffs lay but a single egg, while the majority of game birds and waterfowl that have numerous enemies lay from 10 to 20, but the usual number for birds is from three to five.

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Southern Alabama has less running time to all the great markets in the middle section of the United States than any other locality producing fruits and vegetables.

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NOTICE OF SALE

State of Alabama vs. Bureon Lewis, E. F. Cotton, and Coley Rudd, Respondents. In the Circuit Court in Equity, Coffee County, Alabama, Elba Division.

Under and by virtue of a Decree rendered in the Circuit Court in Equity, Coffee County, Alabama, on the 25th day of April, 1934, in favor of the State of Alabama, Complainant, and Bureon Lewis, E. F. Cotton and Coley Rudd, Respondents, wherein certain personal property was condemned for sale, I will offer for sale to the highest and best bidder for cash in front of the court house door at Elba, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on the 4th day of June, 1934, the following personal property which was the property of the said Respondents:

One Ford Coupe, motor number 11410416, 1925 model.

L. B. CLARK,
Register.

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MORTGAGE SALE

STATE OF ALABAMA,
COFFEE COUNTY.

WHEREAS, D. F. Wilks and wife, Arra Wilks, executed to The Federal Land Bank of New Orleans, on to-wit: February 16th, 1925, a mortgage upon the land hereinafter described to secure an indebtedness described therein said mortgage being recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book M-9, Page 264, and

WHEREAS, default has been made by grantors in payment or the indebtedness secured by said mortgage and in the performance of the terms of said mortgage;

NOW, THEREFORE, The Federal Land Bank of New Orleans, having declared due and payable the entire indebtedness secured by said mortgage, will sell, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, between the legal hours of sale on the 8th day of June, 1934, at auction to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the court house door of Coffee County, in the town of Elba, Alabama, the following described property, to-wit:

The east half of the southwest quarter section 23, township 7 range 20, situated in Coffee County, Alabama.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of realizing the mortgage debt, together with all expenses of this sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee.

THE FEDERAL LAND BANK OF NEW ORLEANS,
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B. W. SMITH, Attorney for Mortgagee.

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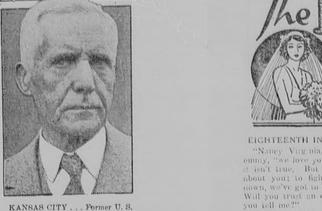
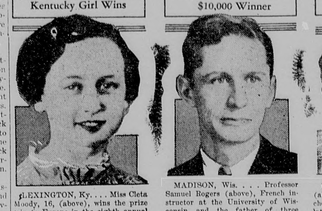
NEW YORK . . . Amid a great profusion of beautiful flowers every where the beloved Ernestine Schumann-Heink (left), symbolized a fitting tribute to Mrs. James Roosevelt (right), mother of the President, when at the end of her song dedicated to Mrs. Roosevelt, she presented a lone red rose to the gracious guest of honor.

In Political Arena



KANSAS CITY . . . Permer U. S. Senator James A. Reed (above), keen eye of the opinion that he is needed in Washington again to curb Bolshevik trends and is reported as being in the race to regain his Senate seat.

Kentucky Girl Wins

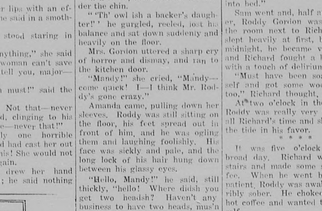


LEXINGTON, Ky. . . . Miss Cleta Moody, 16, (above), wins the prize trip to Europe in the eighth annual League of Nations competition for high school students of the United States, the second girl to win.

$10,000 Winner

MADISON, Wis. . . . Professor Samuel Rogers (above), French instructor at the University of Wisconsin and the father of three children, is winner of the $10,000 prize for his novel, "Dusk at the Grove."

Fulfilled Promise



HOLLYWOOD . . . Joan Blondell (above), was a Wampas screen star choice in 1931. Now, three years later, she is awarded the achievement trophy by the same judges as having scored the greatest screen advancement since then.

Why Doctors Favor a Liquid Laxative

A doctor will tell you that the careless use of strong laxatives may do more harm than good.

Harsh laxatives often drain the system, weaken the bowel muscles, and even affect the liver and kidneys.

Fortunately, the public is fast returning to laxatives in *liquid form*. The dose of a liquid laxative can be measured. The action can thus be regulated to suit individual need. It forms no habit; you needn't take a "double dose" a day or two later.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin gently helps the average person's bowels back to regularity. Why not try it? Some pill or tablet may be more convenient to carry. But there is little "convenience" in any cathartic which is taken so frequently, you must carry it with you, wherever you go.

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The Dollar Bride

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EIGHTEENTH INSTALLMENT

"Nancy Virginia," he said solemnly, "we love you and we know it isn't true. But there's a story about you to fight it, to put it down. We've got to know the truth. Will you trust us old man? Will you tell me?"

Nancy seemed to grow limp. "What is the story, Major?" she asked.

He told her. "I'm an old man, child, I can't be expected to repeat it. I had to. You've got to tell me the truth so I can put down."

She opened her lips with an effort. "I can't!" she said in a smothered voice.

The old man stood staring in grave surprise.

"I can't say anything," she said brokenly, "I—a woman can't save herself. I can't tell you, major—I can't!"

"Then Morgan must!" said the major.

"Oh, no, no! Not that—never that!" she wailed, clinging to his arm. "Don't ever ship the stock yards, and when farmers want to buy instead of running cattle in the country they make for the stock yards. The business is done fairly and at a reasonable commission.

Why not start a permanent pasture on some of your own land that you are now renting the government on your corn-hog contract? This is one of the best ways to utilize some of your good bottom land.

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"Don't tell Roddy! Don't tell anyone! Oh, I'll do anything—anything! Only don't tell!"

"Then Morgan must!" said the major.

"Oh, no, no! Not that—never that!" she wailed, clinging to his arm. "Don't ever ship the stock yards, and when farmers want to buy instead of running cattle in the country they make for the stock yards. The business is done fairly and at a reasonable commission.

Why not start a permanent pasture on some of your own land that you are now renting the government on your corn-hog contract? This is one of the best ways to utilize some of your good bottom land.

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"Where—wheresh father?" he asked thickly.

"He's in Richmond, dear," she caught at his arm, looking up into his face. "Why, Roddy, you're ill, your eyes are all bloodshot—take off your hat, dear!"

He laughed foolishly, starting away from her again and catching at the door-post for support.

"Whash th' matter with my hat?" he demanded, taking it off and smiling at it ridiculously, "nice old peach of a hat—" he spun it around on one finger, gigging suddenly. Then he began to sing loudly.

"Where did you get that hat-ch-a" he cried. "Where did you get that hat-ch-a?"

"Roddy!" his mother gave a little cry of horror; she seized his arm and shook him. "Look at me, Roddy, don't you know me? It's mother!"

Roddy looked at her, his eyes still vacant and watery. Then he laughed wildly, keeping his feet with a lurch, and chucked her under the chin.

"The owl ish a hucker's, daughter!" he gargled, reeled, lost his balance and sat down suddenly and ludicrously on the floor.

Mrs. Gordon uttered a sharp cry of horror and dismay, and ran to her brother-in-law.

"Roddy!" she cried, "Roddy—come quick!" I—I think Mr. Rodger's gone crazy."

Amanda came, pulling down her sleeves. Roddy was still sitting on the floor, his feet sprawled out in front of him, and he was ogling them and laughing foolishly. His face was sickly and pale, and the long look of his hair hung down between his gingery eyes.

"Hello, Mandy!" he said, still thickly, "hello! Where dishish you get you new hoodoo? I'm in the business to have two heads, mush'n get drunk—they'll arrest you! Man on th' street—two heads, drunk! know where he'd got 'em either—must have been drunk—thass right!"

But poor Mrs. Gordon was wringing her hands. "He's crazy!" she sobbed. "Mandy, he's crazy—they've worked my boy to death in New York."

Amanda said nothing; she seized Roddy suddenly by the arm and propelled him toward the lounge. "Yo'-all lie down," she said soothingly, "yo' lie right down, honey. Mandy'll git yo' a cup o' coffee, yes-suh, yo' lie down."

Roddy yielded to her propelling touch partly because he could not keep his feet. He dropped violently upon the lounge, rolled over and fell instantly asleep.

His mother caught hold of Amanda with shaking hands.

"Don't tell us by telephone," she sobbed, "I can't talk over it now myself—you run to Dr. Morgan, Mindy, run! Tell him what's happened. Tell him my poor boy's lost his mind. Bring him, don't let him wait—it'll be his office-hours—it doesn't matter—bring him quick—quick!"

Amanda, running across the gardens with her apron over her head, gave way once to laughter, and then she knuckled tears from her eyes.

"Fo' de Lawd, his mother ain't gwinter b'lieve it—if de doctah tells her!"

Then she saw Mammy Polk sweeping the back porch and slowed to a walk.

"Ain't gwinter let on ter dat ole imp ob Satan!" she mumbled to herself, "she's too big fish nigger anyways—I reckons my folks' a heap better den her'n. Mis' Polk," she said aloud, with dignity, "where's de doctah at?"

Richard had just dismissed a patient and was standing by his desk, looking tall and thin in his white office coat. He thought it was Mammy Polk and did not look up until Amanda coughed. For an instant he did not recognize her, and when he did, his face hardened in spite of himself.

"What is it, Amanda?"

She courtesied, folding her hands into her apron. "Mis' Gordon sent me fer to git yo'-all, suh. She say Mist' Roddy done gone plumb crazy, yessuh, an' she wants yo' ter come quick!"

Richard frowned. "Crazy? Rod Gordon? What do you mean, Amanda?"

Amanda edged closer, pleating her apron demurely; then she looked up sideways and gave him a wink—as one man of the world to another.

"He ain't crazy, no suh, he's jes' drunk, but his ma's takin' on an' his pa ain't home—I reckon it's jes' as well anyways, Mist' Gordon ain't gwintry stan' no foolin', no suh."

Roddy drunk! Richard could not remember that the boy had ever had the failing of drink. A thief and a drunkard. Unconsciously the shock of it penetrated even the iron of his reserve.

"You go ahead, Amanda. I'll follow, he said, as they left the house together.

Mrs. Gordon had been on her knees beside him, but she stumbled to her feet as Morgan entered. Richard took her shaking hands in both his. "Don't be frightened," he said gently.

"Ain't frightened," said Roddy thickly, "dry—thass it, dry as dust —an' she's got water—water——" he began to sing, rocking to and fro.

Mrs. Gordon tore her hand out of Richard's and covered her face sobbing, "My boy's crazy," she said in a whisper. "I can't bear it—I can't!"

Richard drew her gently out into the hall.

"He's not crazy, Mrs. Gordon," he said kindly, "someone has given him some kind of strong drink —and it's gone to his head—that's all."

She gazed at him horrified, incredulous. "My boy never drank!"

"I know it—that's why it's affected him so badly. He'll get over it. Don't worry." Richard was sorry for her.

She turned very white. "His father!" she gasped in a frightened whisper.

"Mrs. Gordon, I'm going to take him home with me. My car's outside my own door, I'll get it. Nobody need know, not even your husband. He'll be all right tomorrow."

Without another word, Richard went out. But when he drove his car around to the Gordon's back door, Roddy's sheer condition seemed to get worse all the time, had to be moved into it. Richard and Amanda managed it.

Richard drove the car straight into his garage. By that time Roddy had sagged over and gone to sleep. Richard called to his man, "Sam! Help me get Mr. Gordon in!" Mammy Polk she can visit her cousin tonight. Send her packing. Then you come back here and help me get this boy into the house and into bed."

Sam went and, half an hour later, Roddy Gordon was asleep in the room next to Richard's. Roddy was quiet at first, but toward midnight he became violently ill and Richard fought a hard battle with a touch of delirium in it.

"Must have been soaking him-self and got some wood alcohol too," Richard thought, sitting up at two o'clock in the morning. Roddy was quiet at last, and Richard's time and skill to turn the tide in his favor.

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It was five o'clock now and broad day. Richard went downstairs and made strong coffee for Roddy. He choked down the hot coffee and wanted to kill himself.

"How did I get here?" he asked blankly.

Richard told him, feeling his pulse. "You're better. Keep quiet

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"My mother?" Roddy groaned, turning his face to the wall.

Richard quieted him. He was using almost all his power as a doctor and an older man to keep him quiet when old Sam called him from the stairs.

"Somebody down here, Mister Richard?"

In the hall stood Nancy. She was dressed and she still wore the frock in which she had gone to the Lomaxes.

"Richard, where's Roddy? I must see my brother!"

Then, as he hesitated, she broke out angrily:

"He hasn't diphtheria! Mama told me—I must see him—I've got to see him—where is he?"

Richard turned to the stairs. "He's up here—he's sober. You may see him."

That was all; he did not even look at her as he led the way up stairs.

At the door of Roddy's room Richard stepped back for Nancy to enter. The girl stood still an instant, her hand pressed against her breast.

"Don't let Roddy frighten you," Richard managed stiffly, his voice seeming harsh. "He's been under the influence of too much liquor. He's come out of it with a headache and the blue devils. Don't let it frighten you."

Nancy's head went up; she thought he felt that they heaped their troubles upon him—she and her brother.

Richard opened the door and she went in. She heard him close it behind her and she seemed to hear, too, his footsteps going downstairs. They sounded heavy, final, like the footsteps of a man who had too much to do to bear other people's burdens! Then her eyes cleared of the mist in them and she saw Roddy, half dressed, sitting on the edge of his bed, reaching for one of his boots.

Lady Says CARDUI Eased Pain In Side

Cardui helped an Oklahoma lady, as described below, and many others have been benefited in a similar way. . . . "I had a hurting in my side every few weeks," writes Mrs. Bill Stewart, of Dewar, Okla. "I had heard of Cardui and started taking it. It stopped my hurting and built up my strength. I took 11 bottles and I sure felt better."

Try Cardui for pains, cramps, nervousness due to a run-down condition. Three scores of women testify Cardui benefited them. If it does not benefit YOU, consult a physician.

"I can't say anything," she said brokenly. "I—I can't tell you, major."

more. He led her, against her will, up to his own house and opened the door.

"Angie!" he shouted, "Angie—Nancy is here to see you—keep her all night. I'll phone to her mother."

But before his telephone message reached the Gordons something had happened there which wiped out its significance. Mr. Gordon was away; he had gone to Richmond on business for the bank, and would scarcely be back for two days. Nancy had been absent since luncheon time. Only Mrs. Gordon and Amanda were at home. Mrs. Gordon was busy.

She was startled by Amanda's voice at the door. .

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FARMER JONES AND HIS COW PEN

By JUDGE W. M. BRUNSON

Quite a number of farmers are making further inquiry of me as to how they should fertilize their cane. Some have P. O. J., some kiana and some the old fashion sugar cane, and I am glad to tell you that the same rule applies as to your fertilizer, regardless of the variety of cane you are using. Please bear in mind that sugar cane needs more fertilizer and better land than do the other varieties. After the first of June is too late to put soda around your cane. If you put soda around your cane between now and the first of June I would advise you to use it very lightly. It is now time to eat corn-stalks, and you should add apply it every time you work your cane. I doubt that you could use more than 200 pounds of acid phosphate per acre. I suggest that you use meal, potash and phosphate as follows: With each ton of meal mix 100 pounds of phosphate and 25 pounds of potash. Use this mixture, putting it out ahead of each ploughing, and be sure to put it where the young roots will get it quickly. A mighty good rule to go by is to put your fertilizer about where the tops of the longest blades of the cane touch the ground. The first application should be put close to the cane row and after that you should put it nearer the middles each time. Your last application should be put in the middle and this should be your heaviest application. I have been asked why all the fertilizer could not be used at one time and thereby save labor. Suppose it is all put on at one time and thereby save labor. Suppose it is all put on at one time and thereby save labor. Suppose it is all put on

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ed that his melons are looking as fine as can be and that if nothing happens and the Lord is willing, he will have ripe melons by June 20th.

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GARDENS—It is commonly remarked that never in the history of this section have gardens been finer than now. Corn is beginning to tassel, which means that we will be eating roasting ears before long. New potatoes, beans and other vegetables are plentiful and tomatoes will soon be ripe. Speaking of Irish potatoes, I have never seen more luxuriant vines than are to be seen on all hands, even in the great potato sections of the Middle West. More important is the fact that reports are general that the vines are loaded with spuds.

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BASEBALL—The agitation mentioned last week in this column relative to cutting down trees back of the old diamond at Elba Field, thereby making it possible to build a grand stand and improve the field has caused considerable favorable comment, but so far, it has not progressed further than the talking stage. Concerted action seems to be what is now needed if results are to be obtained this season.

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HOPE HE MAKES GOOD—"Red" Pascual has signed up with Grank in the Dixie Amateur League and left Sunday for that city. "Red" has a lot of baseball ability, you can gamble on that, if for all there is in it. He has pitched many fine games here about and under the management of Manager "Shovel" Hodge, should learn a lot about the science of chunking a baseball. His numerous friends in this community are a unit in pulling for "Red" to make good in a big way. He comes from baseball stock, his cousin, the famous Ben Pascual, having starred in past years while subbing for the immortal Babe Ruth, in fact, Ben would go in there for the Babe and out-sock that great luminary of the national pastime.

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LOG CABIN—Eugene Brown has about completed his log cabin, near Jack, and it will soon be ready for occupancy. It is patterned after the unique home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Griffin in West Elba and attracts attention from all motorist passing on the Elba-Troy highway.

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LAMP POSTS—I overlooked mentioning the handsome appearance presented by the lamp posts around the court house yard since they have received their coats of aluminum paint. It adds to their attractiveness at least 100 per cent.

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CAR BURNED—W. G. Conley, who lives about three miles north of Elba, lost his Chevrolet car Saturday afternoon. The car caught fire at a point near the old road to convict camp on the Elba-Brantley highway, and before anything could be done about it, it was a mass of flames. Mr. Cauley says that he believes that had there been anyone in the rear seat, they would have been burned to death before they could have gotten out, so rapid was the fire's spread. The car was the one recently owned by Dana Persons and was in good condition.

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OPTIMIST—One of the most optimistic stories I have heard recently is told about Commissioner Willis Wilson, who presides over the interests of the northeast district of Coffee County. It is said that one day last week a friend came to Mr. Wilson's store with the startling news that two of his mules had been tangled up in barbed wire and cut themselves all to pieces. Mr. Wilson replied that he had been able to eat a hearty breakfast, his family were all well, and that he was not going to allow himself to become excited or worried over a little thing like that.

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WILD ROSES—Holland Harrison was exhibiting a sprig of what he said were wild roses one day recently. The branch was as full of tiny roses as could be and it was also well supplied with briars that made handling a difficult matter.

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DRUNK BUT CAREFUL—Sheriff Paul and Deputy Lee Livings found a drag salesman lying beside the Elba-Opp highway, in a drunken stupor, Saturday afternoon. His car, loaded with medicines, was parked at the side of the road. He was brought to Elba and charged with public drunkenness. He said when he realized that he was not in a condition to safely drive, he pulled over to the roadside, got out, climbed over a fence, lay down and went to sleep. Too bad more drunken drivers do not get out of their cars instead of endangering lives of other motorists.

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SCHOOLS—This is an important time in the lives of many young folks in this community—the last week of school. The program is a full one. The week commenced with the baccalaureate sermon, delivered at the Methodist Church Sunday morning. On Wednesday night, Mrs. Dana Persons' expression pupils will give a recital. Miss Annie Laurie Bullard's music pupils will give a recital on on Thursday night. On Friday morning at 10 o'clock the sixth grade graduating exercises will be held, followed by the senior class day exercises.

Commencement exercises will be held at the school auditorium Friday night at eight o'clock. Prof. J. A. Keller of Andalusia will deliver the principal address. He is superintendent of education of Covington County and State supervisor of Education-elect. Professor Keller has been substituting for State Superintendent A. F. Harman, who was scheduled to deliver the address. It is predicted that many of our people are anxious to hear our new superintendent.

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THOMAS M. MORRIS

The following clipping from a Columbus, Ga., paper will be of interest to a number of folks in this community:

COLUMBUS, Ga., April 17.—Funeral services for Thomas M. Morris, 76, who died at his residence Monday afternoon, will be held Wednesday afternoon. Rev. G. V. Courtney, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, will officiate and interment will be in the riverside cemetery.

Mr. Morris is survived by two sons, Thomas and R. L. Morris, of Columbus; a daughter, Mrs. T. J. Bray, Columbus; Mrs. Zora Landos, Flint, Mich.; Mrs. L. H. Barker, Westville, Fla., and Mrs. T. J. Brown, Chicago.

LETTER FROM MR. SPURLIN

May 21, 1934.

Dear Editor:

Am With Brother Lawson in Elba and aim to visit in and around Elba for a while. Came from home (Mr. O. J. Clark's, in the Rhodes school house community near Kinsey) yesterday. There has been so much rain that the farmers of the community are bad in the grass. And I suspect that way all over the country, for as I came I noticed it was worse in the flat lands south of here.

Mr. John Hawkins, an old citizen that many of the readers of The Clipper has known, was buried in the cemetery at Rhodes school house last Tuesday.

Mr. Joe Jernigan, Jr., of Clio visited home folks yesterday. He was accompanied home by his mother and aunt, who will spend a week with him.

I have been over from place to place I notice more good gardens than I have ever seen. Perhaps this is a good omen, at least it shows that people have realized that they must produce more of their living at home, something we should not have required a depression to teach us.

It is so easy to forget God, but when we return to Him He seems ever ready to help. Human nature is not like this, but divine. I want to say in conclusion that the people are still good to me and making life worthwhile, and I thank them.

Respectfully,
LONNIE SPURLIN.

SINGING AT HACODA

The annual seven-shape singing at Hacoda will be held May 27th (4th Sunday). We invite you to come and be with us. Please bring your song books of all kinds. We are preparing for a great day.

Sincerely, COMMITTEE.

CEMETERY WORKING AT CURTIS

There will be a cemetery working at Curtis Friday afternoon, May 25th, at 2 o'clock. Everybody is invited to come.

MRS. E. A. GRIMES,
S. S. Secretary.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the many friends who were so kind and thoughtful of us during our recent bereavement, the death of our father, Mr. A. J. Danley. We shall ever be grateful for your help and sympathy.

HIS CHILDREN.

Have Your
EYES
Examined
—BY—
DR. S. A. BARSON
who will be at the Peoples Drug Store in Elba,
The First
Wednesday
in Each Month.

DR. S. A. BARSON
OPTOMETRIST
404-6 First Nat'l Bk. Bldg.
Montgomery, Ala.

I am in my Montgomery office every Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

MISSES MORGAN, STEPHENS AND WHITMAN HONORED—

The W. H. A. T. Club entertained at a lovely garden party Tuesday evening, complimenting Misses Louise Morgan, Hilda Stephens and Doris Whitman, members of the club, who recently announced their engagements.

The party was given in the pretty flower garden of Miss Evelyn Allred, and was a lovely setting for this affair.

Receiving at the gate was Miss Gladys Clark. Miss Sara Lee ushered the guests to the receiving line, composed of Miss Sara Mae Mathis, club officer, and the three honorees.

The table where punch was served was in decorations of pink and white roses interwoven with fern. Mesdames E. H. Michel and J. W. Kendrick presided at the table and served delicious refreshments.

METHODIST WOMEN MET AT CHURCH MONDAY—

The regular meeting of the Methodist W. M. S. was held at the church Monday afternoon.

Mrs. D. C. Marley presided during the business session. Committee reports were made and much business transacted.

Mrs. R. L. Cooper conducted the interesting Bible Study.

The social meeting next Monday, May 28, will be held with Mrs. Frances Farris. Mrs. Byrd Mitchell assistant hostess. All members are urged to attend. The Young Matron's Circle is especially invited.

JUNIOR G. A. MET WITH MISS SARA MATHIS—

The Junior G. A. met with Miss Sara Mathis last Thursday afternoon. Present were: Henrietta Mae Martha Haire, Lois Martin, Agnes Pinckard, Mary Gwendolyn Boutwell, Gladys Whitman and Carolyn Ryon.

The president, Gladys Whitman, conducted the program. Martha Haire had the devotional. Lois Martin led in prayer. Business was discussed and personal service recorded. Missing Study was taught by the class teacher.

The meeting was closed with the G. A. watchword.

MRS. GOLDON HUGHES

Mrs. Goldon Hughes, age 30, passed away at her home in the Zoar community last week follow ing an illness of two weeks. Pneumonia is said to have caused her death. Besides her husband she is survived by one son, one daughter, two brothers and one sister.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Moody at Zoar Church and interment followed in the church cemetery. Bonneau-Jeter Funeral Home had charge of the arrangements.

Wild Mule Rider To Be In Elba Next Saturday

Dixie Williams, a wild mule rider of note, will be in Elba Saturday for the purpose of "taming the untamed," according to a card received yesterday by Robert R. Bardley.

Bob says Williams is an old friend of his and that way back during war time he had a contract with the government to ride the wildest ones to be found. He is in Troy at present and is just passing through Saturday and will be glad to have two or three of the wildest mules or horses to ride.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Folsom, who have been in Opa Locka, Fla., for the past several weeks, are spending a few days in Elba with relatives.

The United States is the second largest supplier of Poland's imports despite heavy restriction of American products.

In nine months following April 1, 1933, more than 11,000 Jewish refugees fled from their homes in Germany to Palestine.

FOR SALE—Potato Plants, for sale or trade, Dr Thomas, at 1.25.
R. W. ELMORE,
m17-24-31-07 Elba, Rt. 1.

MEN WANTED for Rawleigh Routes in Northwest Covington, West Dale, Barbour Counties, Elba. Write immediately. Rawleigh Co., Dept. AL-63-SB, Memphis, Tenn. m3-17-31.

NAMING AMERICA

Modern science and research are repealing so much of what the older generation was taught in school that we may well conclude with John Billings that "it is just as well not to know so much as to know so much that ain't so."

The old text books told us, for example, that America was named for Amergio (or Americus) Vesucci, an Italian explorer who closely followed Columbus and stole Christopher's thunder.

Now comes an ancient document uncarthed in Prague, which is said to be a report of his adventures by Vespucci himself, in which the navigator signed his first name as Albericus. Thus, if he were to have been honored in naming the new continent, it should have been called Alberica.

But a further complication has arisen through the assertion of another authority that a Indian tribe of Columbus's time called themselves by a name which sounded very much like "America," and that perhaps the New World got a legitimate name after all.

Anyway, at this late day it probably doesn't make much difference, except to those who like to argue about such things.

PROGRAM
Elba Theatre
Thursday-Friday, May 24-25—
LARRY 'BUSTER' CRABBE
—And—
IDA LUPINO
—In—
"SEARCH FOR BEAUTY"
—With—
30 International "SEACH FOR BEAUTY" Contest Winners
—And—
ROBERT ARMSTRONG, JAMES GLEASON ROSCOE KARNS And TOBY WING.
Saturday, May 26—
GOOD WESTERN
"GHOST CITY"
—With—
A STRONG CAST OF WESTERN STARS
Sunday-Monday, May 27-28—
ROSEMARY AMES
—And—
JOHN BOLES
—In—
"I BELIEVED IN YOU"
—With—
VICTOR JORY and GERTRUDE MICHAEL

MRS. F. H. TALBOT AND CHILDREN SPENT WEEK-END

Mrs. F. H. Talbot and children spent the week-end with relatives in Dothan.

Miss Catherine Hutchison of Troy spent several days last week in Elba, guest of Miss Nell Brock.

Mrs. P. G. Mathis, Sr., of Andalusia, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mathis.

Mrs and Mrs. Joe Jernigan, Jr., of Clio were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jernigan in Elba.

Mrs. J. D. Whitman, Mrs. O. Dowling, Mrs. C. B. McDowell, Mrs. Lawrence Allen, Miss Sallie Collier, Miss Sara Lee and Miss Lois Martin visited in Dothan last Wednesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Calhoun on May 12th, a baby girl, whom they have named Martha Ann.

Mrs. W. M. Tucker spent the past week-end in Troy as the guest of her daughter, Miss Louise Tucker, and sister, Mrs. Susie McBride.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Rhodes announce the birth of a son on May 19th at Gibson's Hospital in Enterprise.

Mrs. Gordon Prescott entertained the Pastime Book Club recently at her home in West Elba. The games were enjoyed from the two five-thirty, after which delightful refreshments were served.

THOUGHTLESS CRUELTY

A news dispatch tells of Teresa Corona, 14 years old and six feet tall, who ran away from school and home to get away from the ridicule of her fellow pupils. Thoughtlessly her associates made her the victim of a heartless tragedy.

It was hard enough to bear the self-consciousness and embarrassment which the child's abnormal size made inescapable, but those who made her burden greater by their derision were unspeakably cruel.

Thousands of instances like this occur, where some physical defect or peculiarity of sensitive person is used as a pretext to torture them with unkind remarks which cut to the quick. We read some time ago of a young girl who finally committed suicide because she had been driven to desperation by ridicule of her family name, which had a suggestive meaning to evilminded persons.

Children will seize upon such opportunities to harass their associates, sometimes in a spirit of fun, but often with vicious intent. While most parents would disapprove of such conduct, many do not take the trouble to explain to their children how cruel it is, or appeal to their better natures to induce them to refrain from it.

Unnecessary infliction of mental suffering is as bad or worse than the infliction of physical pain, and children should be earnestly admonished to avoid both forms of cruelty.

LIVESTOCK REMINDERS

Sows should be bred to purebred boars in May for September litters.

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Milk can be produced most economically by using a maximum of roughage. Arrange now to have at least one ton of legume hay and two to three tons of silage for every cow you are going to keep on your farm next winter.

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The average production of all cows on test in the Black Belt Dairy Herd-Improvement Association last year was 4,506 pounds of milk and 225 pounds of butterfat. If you do not know what your herd is producing, you should join a dairy herd-improvement association and find out, for low-producing cows need to be culled.

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Circuit Court Is In Session; Civil Cases Are Heard; Two Murder Trials Next Week

The Spring jury term of circuit court convened Monday, with Judge W. L. Parks presiding. Tuesday Judge Emmett Thigpen, of Andalusia took the place of Judge Parks, who had a severe cold.

Civil cases are being tried this week. The greatest number of cases on the docket is paving assessment appeal cases. A number of these have been settled amicably, while others are said to be in process of settlement.

On the docket are a number of cases involving the bond and management of the State Superintendent of banks in connection with one of the suspended state banks and its depositors. None of the cases could be tried, on account of the absence of witnesses.

Various sorts of ordinary cases are being tried by juries, Next week a number of important criminal cases are to be heard. Also a somewhat interesting cases of the Covington County Sheriff and a surety company in regard to a arrest made by Covington officers in Coffee County will not be tried, it is said, at this term.

Following is a list of the jurors serving this week:

Kelley, J. C.
Young, S. B.
Livings, L. S.
Hudson, U. B.
Rowe, O. D.
Harper, Frank
Brown, J. H.
Bryan, T. B
Lubert, D. J.
Young, Joe T.
Vaughn, W. O.
Foley, Levy
Griswold, Howell.
Martin, I. A.
Dyess, W. L.
Lasseter, Edwin.
Cardwell, L. L.
Mock, O. A.
Wilkes, D. F.
Farris, W. L.
Farris, J. D.
Coon, James.
Seay, Albert.
Sharpless, Marvin.
Hanchey, Charley.
Kilcrease, F. E.
Kilcrease, L. L.
Free, Jim
Meeks, J. B.
Martin, R. P.
Goodson, C. C.
Jackson, Alto.
Hudson, T. G.
Wise, J. T.
Clark, O. J.
Foley, Cecil.

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Court Notes

E. O. Baldwin and John H. Wilkerson who live at Andalusia and Troy, respectively, are former Elba lawyers. They come here to court occasionally.

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Ball and Sons are city lawyers who are here from time to time and are well esteemed.

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A Woman Officer

Alabama has several state officers who are women. A new state officer of the feminine class is here this week. She is Miss Addie Parish, deputy superintendent of banks. She is here as witness in suits involving bond of the State Superintendent of banks who held office several years ago. If she's as strict about money as a few bank examiners, she will perhaps make banking matters hum when they get her up.

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Clarence L. McCartha, genial and efficient court reporter, is in attendance at court this week.

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Among the out-of-town attorneys who have been attending court during the week are: A. Whaley of Andalusia; J. C. Yarbrough and J. W. Hicks of Enterprise; C. W. and B. W. Simmons of Opp; M. S. Carmichael of Montgomery.

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Robert S. Reid of Andalusia was here Tuesday. He is solicitor in the Covington County circuit court and a former solicitor in this circuit. He has many friends here. On May 1st he was nominated for Judge of the Circuit Court in his circuit, which embraces the counties of Covington and Geneva.

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Two Murder Trials

In addition to the regular criminal docket which will be taken up beginning next Monday morning, two murder trials have been set for trial. The first is that of Lev Hammond, Jr., young colored man of Elba, who will go to trial on Thursday, June 7th, on a first degree murder charge. The other murder trial is that of Mrs. Callie Dyess, also charged with first degree murder, who will be tried on Friday, June 8th.

There are three other capital cases on the docket, all being on a charge of robbery. One defendant, John D. Booker, has entered a plea of guilty, but has not yet been sentenced. The other two cases, against Alton Bullard and Walter Mills, have been continued.

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Cases Set For Trial Monday June 4th:

1174—The State vs. Melvin Smith, Appeal.
1569—The State vs. Roland Coleman, Appeal.
1580—The State vs. W. S. Wilson, Appeal.
1600—The State vs. W. S. Wilson, Appeal.
1651—The State vs. Glenn Warren, Appeal.
1662—The State vs. Jack Lee, Appeal.
1462—The State vs. Neal Parker, Appeal.
1680—The State vs. Clem Borders, Appeal.
1681—The State vs. Gus Borders, Appeal.
1551—The State vs. Homer McCord, Seduction.
1625—The State vs. John McGee, Attempt to Bribe.
1631—The State vs. Charlie Wambles, Possessing Still.
1633—The State vs. G. H. Myles, Arson, 1st Degree.
1647—The State vs. Jim Redclock, Possessing Still.
1646—The State vs. Lee Cardwell, Possessing Still.
1661—The State vs. Cleveland Stevens, Assault to Murder.
1666—The State vs. Jim Redclock, Transporting Prohibited Liquors.
1667—The State vs. George-Henry Broxton, Manslaughter.
1668—The State vs. Dick Redclock, Possessing Still.
1669—The State vs. Oscar Blackman, Burglary.

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Cases Set For Trial Tuesday, June 5th:

1670—The State vs. James G. Seymore, Transporting Prohibited Liquors.
1671—The State vs. Ken Danford, Transporting Prohibited Liquors.
1672—The State vs. Jesse Tillis, Possessing Still.
1673—The State vs. Willie Tillis, Possessing Still.
1674—The State vs. Harrison Ward, Grand Larceny.
1675—The State vs. Pete Jackson, Assault to Murder.
1676—The State vs. Harvey Sauls, Burglary.
1677—The State vs. Porter Sauls, Burglary.
1682—The State vs. Ulysses Hawthorn, Distilling.
1683—The State vs. Richmond Brannon, Distilling.

Mr. and Mrs. George Saxon and children, Betty George and Jimmie, of Birmingham spent the week-end with Mrs. Saxon's mother, Mrs. John Brunson.

Messrs. Lehman Farris, William Jones, Eris Paul, Harvey Waters and Claude Dorsey, who have been attending the University of Alabama at Tuscaloosa, are home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Franklin and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clifton and children and Miss Annie Ray Lightsey of Sylacauga spent several days last week at Barnes Beach, Fla.

Elba School Expression Pupils Have Fine Program

Mrs. Dana Perdue's expression pupils rendered an interesting and highly entertaining program before a large audience at the Elba school auditorium last Wednesday night. Those taking part showed real talent and Mrs. Perdue is to be congratulated upon the results of her efforts in training her pupils along elocutionary lines. She was assisted in the recital by Misses Mamie Page, Annie Laurie Bullard, Sara Mathis and Mary Page. The following program was rendered:

"Anthony's Address To The Romans"—Billy Perdue and Jake Bonneau.

Reading, "Kith and Kin"—Bernice Vaughan.

Reading, "The Big Meal"—Kenneth Talbot.

Reading, "The Secret"—Nina English.

Reading, "Pappy's Perfect Match"—Martha Wright.

Reading, "Moo Cow Moo"—Frances Armor Morrow.

Reading, "Playing Bear"—Catherine Mullins.

Reading, "Playing Bridge"—Marjorie Murphree.

Reading, "Why I Quit Playing Bridge"—Peggy Blue.

Solo—Miss Madge Page.

Reading, "Sister's Beau"—Mary Jane Rainer.

Reading, "The Masquerade"—Lois Martin.

"The Cooky Man"—Seven Little Girls.

Musical Reading, "The Cat"—Nina English.

Reading, "Gettin' Doctored"—Ida Isabelle Whitman.

Reading, "When I Start To School"—Kenneth Talbot.

Reading, "In The Best Of Families"—Mary Louise Morgan.

Solo—"On The Town Countries"—Nina English and Martha Wright.

Reading, "Boys"—Ida Isabelle Whitman.

Piano Solo—Miss Annie Laurie Bullard.

Reading, "Catching The Train"—Lois Martin.

Reading, "The French Doll"—Mary Louise Morgan.

Reading, "The Sewing Circle"—Seven Girls.

Solo—Miss Madge Page.

Reading, "Minnie At The Skating Ring"—Adelle Dixon.

Musical Reading, "The Usual Way"—Mary Louise Morgan.

Play, "The Art Museum"—Misses Mary Page and Sara Mathis.

Mr. Sam R. Morgan Given Surprise Birthday Dinner

The children of Mr. Sam R. Morgan (better known as Uncle Sam) gave him a surprise birthday dinner on last Sunday in celebration of his sixty-seventh anniversary.

It seems that the family had planned this surprise far in advance and had prepared a fine barbecue dinner, together with everything else that one could wish to have. When the proud father arrived at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ralph Gunter, at New Brockton, he also found on display many nice and useful gifts from his children.

Among those of the family in attendance on this happy occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Morgan, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morgan of Evergreen, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Morgan of Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morgan of Union Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Morgan of Brantley, Mrs. C. A. Buffington and children of Montgomery, Mrs. Louise Morgan Hilliard and husband of Pensacola, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gunter and children of New Brockton. Others present were: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gunter, Miss Lucy Gunter, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Gunter and children, Mrs. John Brock, Sr., and Miss Dora Brock of Enterprise.

Those of the family who could not attend were: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morgan of Memphis, Tenn., Mr. Sam Morgan, Jr., of New Orleans, and Dr. Buffington and two grand children of Montgomery.

ELBA HIGH SENIORS ENTERTAINED LAST THURSDAY—

The Elba High Seniors enjoyed another happy occasion Thursday evening, May 24th, when they were entertained by Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Crook.

The happy party met at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Crook and from there went to the dam, where a picnic lunch was to have been spread, but due to inclement weather, it was decided best for them to assemble at the school building. Once more the walls rang with merriment and even though it was the last social of the year and the downpour of rain came, it did not mar the pleasure of this delightful occasion.

A tempting picnic feast was enjoyed by all, after which they attended the musical recital.

Other guests on this occasion were Prof. and Mrs. J. C. Dixon, Miss Adelle Dixon, Joe Crook and Miss Sarah Vaughn.

Jesse Blocker, Miss Debata Blocker, Mrs. Joe Frank Prescott and Fred Prescott were Dothan visitors last Wednesday.

Dorsey Sez:

Have you seen the new GOODYEAR TIRE? If not come in and let us show and tell you about the greatest tire that has ever been made.
We open at 7 a.m. and close at 6 p.m.

About People and Things
By C. B. McDowell

NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL—Members of the Elba Business Men's Evangelistic Club went down to Mt. Gilead Church Sunday afternoon and assisted in organizing a Baptist Sunday School. It was "Home-Coming Day" and an all-day program was carried out. The morning session was given over to observance of "Mothers' Day." Sermons were preached by Revs. H. S. Nichols and Reuben Davis to a large congregation. At the noon hour, a bountiful dinner was served on the grounds surrounding the church, which was greatly enjoyed by a large number of people.

The afternoon session was opened with a song service, followed by a devotional service led by Judge J. A. Carnley, which was in the form of a sermonette. The Evangelistic Club then took charge. W. T. Whitman gave an interesting talk on the importance of the Sunday School in the community in which he urged that a Sunday School be organized at Mt. Gilead. After some discussion, it was decided to organize them at once and Claude Rogers was elected superintendent and L. N. Phillips was chosen as secretary. Selection of teachers and other details were to be reported upon at the night service.

After being organized nearly three years ago, Mt. Gilead was the scene of the Evangelistic Club's first service outside of Elba. Many changes and improvements were noticeable. The building has been painted inside and out and everything is in apple pie and spap shape. Prospects are favorable for a widawake Sunday School at Mt. Gilead, which will make a part of Pastor Davis's dream come true.

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SAFELY HOME—Judge W. M. Brunson and Forest Talbot returned home Sunday from a week-end speaking tour in Walker County in the interest of Col. Bibb Graves. They report a strenuous but happy trip. Forest says that sentiment in Walker County seems to be about evenly divided in the governor's race. They were in the midst of the aiming district and Forest says those miners really take their politics seriously. Forest presented a somewhat battered and unkempt appearance and was so hoarse he could hardly speak when he arrived home, but happy in the knowledge that he had been doing yeoman service for the "Little Colonel."

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DIXON AHEAD—Major Frank Dixon is ahead in Coffee County at least he was leading Monday afternoon. Mrs. Mary A. Mathis, who has been visiting her son, Gordon Mathis, before returning to her home in Andalusia Monday afternoon cast her ballot for Dixon, so she would not have to come to Elba on June 12. County Chairman Farris informed the Mrs. Mathis that hers was the first ballot to be cast in Coffee County, so on Monday afternoon Coffee County's election returns stood, Dixon 1, Graves 0.

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EPIDEMIC — Jesse Blocker started something a few weeks ago when he had some of his teeth extracted that seems to have become contagious among the men of the community. It has become so stylish to have one's molars removed that some will have extracted that Dr. Ringsdorf is killing the goose that lays the golden egg, for he will soon run out of teeth and will have to run a repair shop. It is rumored that some of the women are about to join in the tooth-extracting game.

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POULTRY FARM—While her husband is busily engaged in relieving suffering humanity by pulling aching molars, Mrs. W. M. Ringsdorf is making a fine record with her egg farm. Of course, she is farming only on a small scale, her flock numbering only two hens, but they are shelling out the eggs. It is a common thing for those two hens to lay two eggs in a day, and one day Mrs. Ringsdorf was startled to find six eggs in the nest.

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QUICK ACTION—"Uncle Joe" Young says he has nothing unusual to tell about his chickens but he does have a good bean story. He says he has been having a hard time getting his bean vines to prosper and one day Mrs. Ringsdorf was advised by a friend to pour kerosene on the ground around the vines. However, "Uncle Joe" decided to apply a dose of soda half way between the rows, as the vines could not do worse than they had been doing. He says he went out to his garden the next morning and picked a big mess of beans.

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FINE FRUIT PROSPECTS—G. C. Dawkins, who lives three miles west of Elba, reports that his pear and peach trees are hanging so full of fruit that he may have to pull some of it off the trees. Mr. Dawkins relates a thrilling experience Wednesday morning with a hawk, which came right down by the house and carried off a larger than partridge-size chicken, in spite of screams and yells from different members of the family who witnessed the depredation. Mr. Dawkins says hawks have carried off two of his young turkeys also.

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OUT AGAIN—J. D. Cantaline was out on one day's absence, shaking hands with friends after being confined to his home for over four months. First he had serious eye trouble, it being necessary to remove one of his eyes. Then he suffered a severe attack of kidney poisoning.

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FOR PARTS UNKNOWN—Prof. J. C. Dixon, whose school duties for the year came to a close last Friday night, on Tuesday packed his family together, loaded them into his automobile and left for parts unknown. However, Prof. Dixon hinted pretty strongly that they would probably land somewhere in the vicinity of Freeport, down on the Gulf, for a week's camping and fishing trip. He expects to attend church next Sunday either in Pensacola or Mobile and will be located somewhere in that vicinity. The Dixon family expect to defer their usual summer vacation visit to Northern Alabama and Tennessee until July, as Prof. Dixon expects to hold a revival meeting in Opp in June and also preach at Valdosta, Ga., next month.

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WELCOMED HOME—Mrs. Wallace Beiber had sufficiently recovered from the operation which she underwent at Beard's Hospital in Troy, Saturday morning, to be able to be brought home last Wednesday. Her home-coming was made happier by a large number of relatives, friends and neighbors who gathered at her home to welcome her return.

INTERESTING REPORT — At the morning service at the Elba Baptist Church last Sunday, the pastor, Rev. B. F. Franklin, gave an interesting report of the Southern Baptist Convention at Fort Worth, Texas, which he and several others from this section attended. The part of Brother Franklin's report that interested me most was his graphic description of Dr. George Truitt's visit to the great Spurgeon Centennial held in London, England. When I was a boy, the name "Spurgeon" was synonymous with great preaching, as he was recognized as the world's greatest.

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ROUGH RIDER—A "wild and woolly" individual and a more or less fractious-looking mule arrived in Elba last Saturday and the "wild and woolly" one proceeded to announce that he would put on an exhibition of rough-riding down in the Mobile corner. He also announced that he would pay any one over 45 years of age $5.00 who would successfully ride the bucking mule. It was a good thing for the visitor's five bucks that he made the age limit so high, for if the age had been about ten years less, Terry Kendrick and I would have gobbled it up. When Terry's waf in the U. S. Cavalry he made a great record and got to believe he could ride anything that walked on four legs. After considerable delay on account of difficulty in raising sufficient collection, no 45-year-older accepting the challenge, the owner of the mule rode it himself. The mule made a few rather tame bucks and the show was all over.

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LONG WAY FROM HOME—The fame of Dorsey Trailers is reaching to the uttermost parts of the earth. The local factory is rushing the manufacture of a shipment of eight trailers, attached to trucks, to fill an order received from far-off Czechoslovakia. Wonder what those Czech's will think of the great manufacturing center, Elba, Alabama, when they behold those handsome trucks and trailers?

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EMANCIPATION DAY—Emancipation Day, May 28, was fittingly observed in Elba. At the noon hour, barbecue dinner was served at Mulberry Heights to a large crowd. In the afternoon a doubleheader baseball game between Elba and Luverne was the attraction and was witnessed by a large attendance. Both games were well played and hotly contested, resulting in an even break, Elba won the first game, 10-5, and the visitors were victors in the nightcap by a 5-3 score. A big dance at night climaxed the day's festivities. Everything passed off in fine order and those in charge report that it was a financial success as well as otherwise.

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ABLE SERMON—Rev. Charles Hildreth, pastor of the Methodist Church at Bowling, Ala., preached

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Fifteen Graduates Receive Diplomas From Elba High

Fifteen graduates, eight young ladies and seven boys, were awarded diplomas at appropriate exercises held at the school auditorium last Friday night, before a large audience.

The audience stood at attention while the graduates, dressed in their navy blue caps and gowns, marched in to the strains of music played by Miss Annie Laurie Bullard, and took their seats on the rostrum. Rev. J. C. Dixon and Prof. J. A. Keller, the speaker of the evening, followed and took seats at the left of the graduates.

After invocation by C. B. McDowell, Miss Annie Joe Young delivered the salutatory address in a pleasing manner.

Professor Dixon, in a few well-chosen words, introduced Professor Keller, who responded with one of the plainest but most sensible and helpful educative addresses ever delivered to a graduating class anywhere. He opened by thanking the voters of Coffee County and especially of Elba for the hearty support given him in his recent successful race for the office of State Superintendent of Education. His address abounded in good, wholesome advice to the boys and girls, none of his hearers could fail to appreciate the value of the school situation in Alabama, giving facts and figures that were convincing and conclusive.

Professor Keller's address was an able effort and those who heard it expressed the sentiment that we were convinced that no mistake had been made in the selection.

The principal address of the evening was followed by the valedictory address, delivered by Miss Lessie DeVane. It was unquestionably one of the ablest efforts of the kind ever delivered at Elba High School.

After a few remarks by Prof. Dixon, diplomas were awarded to the fifteen graduates members of the graduating class of 1934:

Ruth Bowdoin, Nell Gardner Clark, Annie Joe Moore, Ollie Mae Moore, Mary Katherine Haire, Lessie DeVane, Mary Irene Hamm, Sara Ann Mathis, Annie Laurie Louise Deal, Willie Mack Horn, Malcolm Mathis, Homer Johnson, Leonard Newsome, Maxwell Brown and J. W. Maddox, the latter having taken a post graduate course.

MISS MORGAN WEDS MR. HILLIARD AT PENSACOLA—

A marriage of interest to a wide circle of friends was that of Miss Louise Morgan of Elba to Mr. Jerry Hilliard of Blythesville, Arkan., which occurred at Pensacola, Florida, on May 26th, the impressive ring ceremony was performed by the bride's pastor, Rev. Hugh Johnson with Chaplain Frances Lee Aibert officiating.

The wedding decoration was under the direction of Mrs. C. A. Wynn, and was beautiful in every detail. The color motif of Easter lilies and smilax formed the setting for this sacred ceremony.

The bridal party was played by Ralph Squires, class friend of the groom. The bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Ida Belle Morgan of Elba, as her matron of honor, and Mr. Paul C. Morgan of Elba, cousin of the groom as best man. Only close relatives and friends were present.

The bride was smartly gowned in a white semi sport suit worn with white accessories and carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley.

Mrs. Hilliard is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Morgan. She graduated from the Elba High School with an enviable record in scholarship and later attended Alabama College at Montevallo and State Teachers College at Livingston, of which institution she is a graduate. She comes from one of the most prominent families in South Alabama, members of her family being connected with the business and professional life of various Alabama towns and cities. She possesses rare beauty and charm as well as a personality that was won for her a large circle of friends throughout the state. Since her graduation from college she has been engaged in teaching in Coffee County schools, where she has been recognized as an outstanding teacher.

Mr. Hilliard, who has been stationed in Pensacola for the past two years, is employed in the dispatch's office at the Naval Air Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard will spend the month of July in Elba with the bride's parents.

—Mrs. J. W. K.

Rev. and Mrs. B. S. Franklin and Miss Marguerite Franklin have returned from Fort Worth, Texas, where they attended the Southern Baptist Convention. They also visited relatives at Houston and other points.

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Mrs. F. J. Mizell of Samson spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. W. P. Boyd.

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Mrs. R. B. Peterson has returned to her home in Chattanoo